

A KANSAS SENATOR

REPUBLICANS ELECT STATE PRINT-
ER WITHOUT POPULIST AID.Governor Budd, When He Finds He
Has the Power, Loses No Time in
Removing Most Gunst.

TOPEKA, Jan. 15.—A sensational incident took place in the Kansas senate at noon today, when that body received a concurrent resolution from the house providing that both bodies go into joint session to elect a state printer. The resolution was offered by Senator Dennison to the effect that no certificate of election be issued to any candidate unless he received a majority of both houses. The substitute passed, but was vetoed by Lieutenant Governor Troutman, the presiding officer, who declared he would adjourn the senate and ask the senators and officers to proceed to the house for the purpose of electing a printer. All the republican, two democrat and one populist (True), went to the joint session, wherein Major J. K. Hudson, editor of the Topeka Capital, was declared chosen state printer by the following vote: Hudson, 19; Snow, populist, 25; Crane, 1; Wagner, 2. Meanwhile the populist senators remained in the senate chamber, presided over by Senator King, president pro tem. The senators declared themselves in session upon the governor to denounce the republicans as "revolutionists and anarchists" and declared no state printer could be elected save by a majority from each house. The populist senators finally adjourned till 2 P. M.

COXY ARMIES ISLAWFUL.

Bill Introduced in the California
Legislature to That Effect.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—In the senate today, a bill was introduced to add a new section to the penal code. It provides that "It is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor and punishable as such, for any individual person to either join, travel with, camp or dwell with any company or band of idle men, consisting of more than three persons, which company or band obtains its subsistence by means of alms or solicited contributions. The expense of the enforcement of this section, and the maintenance of persons convicted thereunder, shall be a charge against the state of California." This is directed against General Kelly and other commanders of "industrial" armies.

A concurrent resolution was passed that the senators and representatives in congress be instructed to oppose any attempt and vote against any bill to extend the time for the payment to the government of the Pacific railroad debts, and to vote for a measure to foreclose at maturity the lien of the government on these roads, and to have them bid in by the government, and maintained as a national highway for the benefit and in the interest of the people, and to enforce against the stockholders of said roads the collection of any judgment for delinquency that may result upon said foreclosure.

GAVE UP THE CONTEST.

The Populist Treasurer of Oakland
Undisputed.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 15.—The Layman-Sanford race for the treasurer of the county came up before Judge Frick this morning. Attorneys for the contestant informed the court they were satisfied that they could make no case and would therefore ask to be allowed to withdraw the contest. No objection was made, and the court granted the request. As a result of the recent Sanford, pop., received 532 votes, and Layman 502 votes, which would give the Sanford victory. The contest was raised as to the regularity of 194 Sanford ballots and 37 Layman ballots, which were put under future consideration. Adding these to the unchanged ballots would give Sanford 525 and Layman 522. The official canvass gave Sanford 532 and Layman 511, which shows that on the total the Sanford vote is increased 4 and the Layman 11 by the recount, over the returns. This gives Sanford a gain of 21 votes, added to his majority of 21 by the official returns, or 42 votes in the lead of Layman.

MOSE GUNST REMOVED.

The Governor Found He Had the
Power, and Named His Successor.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—The governor today had an opinion from the attorney-general, stating that he had the power to remove from office any member of the board of San Francisco police commissioners. He immediately removed Moses A. Gunst and appointed Stewart Menzies.

Gunst Will Contest.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—When seen this afternoon, Mr. Gunst intimated that he would contest the removal of his name from the board. He said: "I expected that Budd would attempt to deprive me of office. My ground for such belief was that he had threatened before his inauguration to deprive me of my commission. I will contest the action of the governor in the courts, and, if beaten, will submit, as a good citizen should, to the result. I have been a law-abiding member of this community. I have never been in a law suit in my life, and can only attribute the attacks made upon me to malice."

SENATORIAL CONTESTS.

THURSTON RECEIVES A MAJORITY.
LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 15.—The two houses of the legislature voted separately at noon for United States senator. In the senate, John M. Thurston, republican, received 53 votes; William J. Bryan, democrat, 4; and William A. Jones, populist, 1. In the house the vote stood: Thurston 25, Bryan 15, Jones 15. The two houses will meet tomorrow in joint session and formally ratify the election of Thurston.

Colorado Senator.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 15.—A vote for United States senator to succeed Wolcott was taken in the legislature today. In the house, 41 votes were given Wolcott, rep., and 25 to Congressman Pence, pop. In the senate Wolcott received 16 votes, Thomas M. Patterson, pop. 16, and Charles S. Thomas, dem. 16. The senate will meet in joint session tomorrow at noon, and the indications point to the re-election of Wolcott on the first ballot.

Lee Mantle and Tom Carter.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 15.—Both houses of the legislature voted separately for United States senator today. The republican caucus nominated Lee Mantle for the short term, and Thomas Carter for the long term, received the solid republican vote of both houses, and tomorrow their election will be ratified in joint assembly.

McMillan Re-Elected.

LANRING, Mich., Jan. 15.—United States Senator McMillan was re-elected by the legislature in joint session this afternoon, receiving the unanimous vote of the democrats. Julius C. Bureau received all the votes for the short-term senator, except that of Denovan of Bay, democrat.

Senator Frye Re-Elected.

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 15.—William P. Frye was re-elected United States senator today.

OTHER LEGISLATURES.

A Brothery Contest.
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 14.—The Monitor says that it has made a canvass of the legislature, and is prepared to announce that Mr. Cullom will receive 70 votes in the republican caucus. He will get this many, even if the other men stay

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to send for persons and papers. The resolution was adopted.
Denny of Multnomah offered a joint resolution, which was adopted, providing for a joint committee of two from the senate and three from the house to examine the books of the secretary of state.

Brownell of Clackamas had a resolution adopted providing for an assistant doorkeeper for the senate.
Maxwell of Tillamook introduced a concurrent resolution providing for a committee of two from the senate and three from the house to examine the books and affairs of the state board of land commissioners.

Stewer offered an amendment providing that the clerical aid of the committee should not exceed \$5 per day. The resolution as amended was adopted.
The report of the committee on rules for the senate was presented and adopted.

Johnston of Linn offered a concurrent resolution providing for a committee of two from the senate and three from the house to investigate the penitentiary. It was adopted with an amendment restricting expenditure for clerical aid to \$5 per day.

Alley offered a concurrent resolution providing for a committee of five to examine into the affairs of the insane asylum.

Cogswell of Lake introduced a concurrent resolution providing for additional rules for the house and senate, the purpose being to have both houses governed by similar rules. It was adopted.

Cogswell offered a concurrent resolution that the house and senate committees on printing be a standing committee to investigate state printing and make recommendations.

BILLS INTRODUCED.
McGinn of Multnomah introduced bills to create the office of county auditor for Multnomah county, to fix the salaries of circuit judges of the fourth judicial district, fixing the salaries of justices of peace and constables, and of assessors. It was read the first time.

Johnson of Linn introduced a bill to repeal the act providing for the state penitentiary until an investigation can be made of the charges of fraud in the election. The resolution was adopted by the senate several days ago.

Removal of Missouri's Capital.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—The fight over the proposition to remove the capital to Sedalia is causing much bitter feeling. A syndicate of Chicago capitalists is said to have taken an option on 10,000 acres of Sedalia lands, and have a vote against any bill to extend the time for the payment to the government of the Pacific railroad debts, and to vote for a measure to foreclose at maturity the lien of the government on these roads, and to have them bid in by the government, and maintained as a national highway for the benefit and in the interest of the people, and to enforce against the stockholders of said roads the collection of any judgment for delinquency that may result upon said foreclosure.

Balloting in Idaho.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 15.—The ballot for United States senator today resulted: House—Shoup, rep. 11; Sweet, rep. 13; Robert S. Browne, rep. 1; Heyburn, rep. 1; Claggett, pop. 1. Senate—Shoup, rep. 11; Sweet, rep. 13; Robert S. Browne, rep. 1; Heyburn, rep. 1; Claggett, pop. 1.

Governor Hastings Inaugured.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 15.—Governor Hastings was inaugurated today with imposing ceremonies, and all branches of the state government are again in the hands of the republicans.

Legality of the Income Tax.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The application of John G. Moore of New York for an injunction to prevent the enforcement of the income tax provisions today was heard on a demurrer that he failed to make the application properly. The counsel for the government claimed the plaintiff had no right in the premises, while the counsel for Moore contended the tax was illegal. Argument was adjourned until tomorrow.

Mitchell Challenges Jackson.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—A cable from London says Charlie Mitchell has challenged Peter Jackson to fight according to Queensbury or London rules for \$1000 a side, the fight to take place next May or June. "Pony" Moore defeated 190 forfeit. Mitchell says if he defeats Jackson he will have a further claim for another match with Corbett, who, he asserts, owes him a return match.

Southern Pacific Lands.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Secretary Smith has directed that action be suspended on selections made by the Southern Pacific of lands within certain indemnity limits for grants for that road and the Atlantic & Pacific road, pending the decision on the suit recently brought to determine the right of the Southern Pacific to such lands.

The Cruiser Olympia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—The great 880-ton United States cruiser Olympia will, it is said, be turned over to the government on February 1. Only a few finishing touches are necessary, and when she arrives at the navy-yard she will be ready for service, after shipping her stores and ammunition.

Very Much for San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 15.—The rainfall at San Diego for the 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock this morning was 1.14 inches. The San Diego river is too high to ford and all the arroyos in this section and Lower California are reported to be carrying an immense volume of water.

Reported Landing Near Wei-Hai-Wei.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A Chinese dispatch says it is rumored the Japanese have landed in Shang Tung, near Wei-Hai-Wei, and that the British fleet is cruising in the waters in the vicinity, watching the movements of the invading force.

Died From Exposure.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 15.—L. Fisk, the rancher who was reported missing, was caught in a snow storm and died of exposure. Fisk was 67 years of age and had some 1000 acres of land near the Chehalis, about eight miles from Pe-Ell.

For Nebraska Sufferers.

DENVER, Jan. 15.—The Burlington railway has forwarded 35 carloads of supplies to the destitute people of Nebraska in the last three months.

Death From Grip.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—There were 12 deaths from the grip this morning.

The Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The gold reserve is down to \$71,607,739.

The Postage-Stamp Craze.

Black and White says the philatelic world has been flustered by a recent important event, for it is announced that the vice-president of the London Philatelic Society has sold all the stamps of an affair certainly becoming interesting when we learn the price commanded by the few thousand little bits of paper. A firm which deals in the light and airy trifles secured the vice-president's entire collection, and gave no less than \$20,000 for it. This, we understand, is the largest price ever paid for a collection of stamps.

It is said that the treasurer in this sort recently bequeathed by a member of parliament to the British museum would have fetched a higher figure if put up at public auction. A London establishment is just now investigating a single stamp valued at \$12,500, but whether any intending purchaser will be found willing to receive it in exchange for that sum remains to be seen. The Duke of York, already known as a keen collector, is said to be anxious to purchase this great stamp. Experts declare that there is no better investment for money nowadays than stamps. If that be so they will become an object of fascination to many who at present take little delight in them.

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Not a 5 or 10 per cent reduction, but a 30 to 50 per cent reduction, a reduction you can see at a glance. A reduction that will force you to admit that we are selling goods at lower prices than you have ever seen quoted.

A reduction that will save you many a dollar.

A reduction that you will take advantage of if you are watchful of your own interests.

Drager Brothers
First and Taylor Sts.

Annual-Sale Prices

All goods plainly marked in blue.

OTHER NORTHWEST NEWS.

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